PROCLAMATION
National Apprenticeship Week

WHEREAS, registered apprenticeships are vital components of talent development in many high demand and high growth sectors and are recognized as critical post-secondary education training ground for future employment; and

WHEREAS, the United States has pledged major resources to support apprenticeships in an effort to boost vocational education, workforce training and job creation; and

WHEREAS, apprenticeship programs help enhance economic vitality and create a stronger economic environment by producing highly skilled and competitive workers; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Montgomery recognizes the strength and leadership displayed by apprentices that results from the dedication and generosity of sponsors and participating employers who provide meaningful educational opportunities through on-the-job learning and related technical and theoretical instruction, which in turn serves to enhance the economic vitality of the Village of Montgomery:

Now therefore, I, Matthew T. Brolley, Village President of the Village of Montgomery, do hereby proclaim the week of November 12-18, 2018 to be National Apprenticeship Week in the Village of Montgomery, and do hereby commend all those involved in this worthwhile endeavor and recognize the positive impact apprenticeships have on individuals and businesses to help to improve Montgomery's workforce and grow our economy.

Dated this 13th day of November 2018.

Matthew T. Brolley
Village President

Debbie Buchanan
Deputy Village Clerk